

## Message Text

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ACTION EB-08

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FM AMEMBASSY OUAGADOUGOU  
TO USDOC WASHDC  
INFO AMEMBASSY THE HAGUE  
SECSTATE WASHDC 4901

UNCLAS OUAGADOUGOU 3394

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: BBAK, UV

SUBJ: SIGFRIED AND SPEKER GROUP

REF: (A) OUAGADOUGOU 3242; (B) THE HAGUE 4434;  
(C) USDOC 168738 (NOTAL)

1. IT IS APPARENT THAT FIRM SIGFRIED AND SPEKER GROUP DOES NOT  
EXIST AND THAT UPPER VOLTAN INVIDUALS AND FIRMS HAVE BEEN  
VICTIMS OF A CONFIDENCE SCHEME.

2. ALLEGED REPRESENTATIVE OF BOGUS FIRM, MELVIN BRADLY, A  
BAHAMAN CITIZEN, HAS FLED THIS COUNTRY TAKING WITH HIM THE  
DOLS 1200 SECURITY DEPOSITS LEFT UNFORTUNATELY BY THE VOLTAN  
APPLICANTS FOR THE POSITIONS. BRADLY ALSO LEFT CONSIDERABLE  
DEBTS FOR UNPAID OFFICE FURNITURE AND RENT AND UNPAID HOTEL  
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## Message Attributes

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